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Application of:

JENS STRUCKMEIER ET AL.

Serial No.: 10/006,090

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MANUAL CONTROL WITH FORCE-

FEEDBACK FOR PROBE

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- 1) Transmittal Letter;
- 2) Sixteen (16) sheets of corrected formal drawings; and
- 3) Copy of Notice to File Corrected Application Papers.

The Applicant believes there is no fee associated with this transmission. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fee associated with this or any other communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1170.

Respectfully submitted,

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